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EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed. With the exception of egregious errors, content (including spelling, grammar, and punctuation) of these orders has been reproduced as submitted.

* A WEEK WITHOUT VIOLENCE *

[M10-330]

WHEREAS, the Children's Benefit Foundation, a 501 (C) (3) organization, makes substantial contributions to the future of Arizona by promoting a C.O.O.L. (choice of optimum lifestyle) and a G.O.O.D.® (get off of Drugs, Drinking, Danger and Debt) lifestyle; and

WHEREAS, excellence in wellness and good health is dependent on a safe and healthy environment, in the home, and in the community; and

WHEREAS, the safety and well-being of everyone's lives are unnecessarily jeopardized by crime and violence in the form of gangs, spousal and child abuse, drug and alcohol abuse, vandalism, and school shootings in our growing communities; and

WHEREAS, it is our responsibility as residents of this State to support each other in advocating nonviolence and securing a future for our children and safe families; and

WHEREAS, all citizens respectfully should view violence as one of our nation's biggest challenges and look for a solution to end the violence; and

WHEREAS, numerous businesses, schools, national programs and organizations around the world are among those creating answers; and

WHEREAS, the observance of "A WEEK WITHOUT VIOLENCE" will create awareness, educate and strengthen the message that we can substantially promote all of our state and nation to join us in our campaign advocating nonviolence and make a solemn commitment to end the violence and promote peace, making our community a safer place to live.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 3-10, 2010 as

* A WEEK WITHOUT VIOLENCE *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this eighteenth day of August in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* DIRECT SUPPORT PROFESSIONALS APPRECIATION WEEK *

[M10-331]

WHEREAS, National Direct Support Professionals Recognition Week is celebrated annually across the country with special events and ceremonies earmarked to honor the tens of thousands of workers who enable our most fragile citizens and their families to live healthy community-oriented lives; and

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WHEREAS, the combined efforts of the Arizona Department of Economic Security (DES), the Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD), the Arizona Association of Providers for People with Disabilities (AAPPD), and other government and statewide community-based organizations are recognizing Direct Support Professionals during this week; and

WHEREAS, annually over 4,000 contracted agencies and individual providers are working with the Arizona Department of Economic Security to serve nearly 30,000 children and adults with developmental disabilities with direct care support such as hourly habilitation, respite and attendant care to maintain and enhance quality of life; and

WHEREAS, we are encouraging the community and consumers of services to take this week to show direct support professionals serving persons with developmental disabilities how much they appreciate them; and

WHEREAS, by calling attention to the importance of high quality direct care support for all persons with developmental disabilities within our community and State, we hope to improve quality and availability of such services; and

WHEREAS, the future of persons with developmental disabilities depends on the quality of direct support provided from caring and competent direct support professionals.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 12-18, 2010 as

* DIRECT SUPPORT PROFESSIONALS APPRECIATION WEEK *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this eighteenth day of August in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* GOODYEAR IN ACTION DAY *

[M10-332]

WHEREAS, healthy lifestyle choices can help reduce the incidence of many chronic diseases and improve the overall health of the residents of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, the rate of chronic diseases such as stroke, heart disease, diabetes, and obesity has reached epidemic numbers in the Grand Canyon State; and

WHEREAS, good nutrition and active living are beneficial to our mental and physical well-being, positively impacting our health, longevity and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, Goodyear In ACTION motivates a collaboration of supportive businesses, non-profits, government, youth, citizens and schools for residents of Arizona to live healthier lifestyles and lead longer lives.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 25, 2010 as

* GOODYEAR IN ACTION DAY *

and encourage all Arizonans to work to become more active and health conscience.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

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DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this eighteenth day of August in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* MASSING OF THE COLORS AND SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE DAY *

[M10-333]

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we honor American patriots who made the supreme sacrifice in the wars and conflicts in which our country has engaged; and

WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that a period of time be set aside and consecrated during which we may revere and celebrate the memory of these honored dead, pay due homage to their valor, deeds, and sacrifice, and reflect upon their high service to our community and our Nation; and

WHEREAS, it is for us, the living, to rededicate ourselves to the preservation of the heritage, traditions, and ideals for which these patriots gave their lives, that our Flag may forever wave in freedom and our people never suffer the burden of oppression; and

WHEREAS, the 46th Annual Massing of the Colors and Service of Remembrance is made possible by the Phoenix Chapter of the Military Order of the World Wars.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 12, 2010 as

* MASSING OF THE COLORS AND SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE DAY *

and urge all Arizonans to honor and revere the memory of all who have died on the battlefield in defense of our beloved land, in the preservation of the ideals on which our nation was founded, and upon which it has endured.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this eighteenth day of August in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* SPIRIT OF THE HEARD DAY *

[M10-334]

WHEREAS, the Spirit of the Heard Award recognizes an individual who has demonstrated a level of personal excellence in his or her life, either individually or as a community leader in a chosen field; and

WHEREAS, the Spirit of the Heard Award recognizes an individual in any of the areas that are consistent with the mission of the Heard Museum; and

WHEREAS, the Spirit of the Heard Award is a national award with an emphasis on individuals who are members of a Southwest tribe or community; and

WHEREAS, the Spirit of the Heard Award is presented to a living person who will be present to accept the honor; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the Heard Museum is to educate the public about the heritage and the living cultures and arts of Native peoples, with an emphasis on the peoples of the Southwest; and

WHEREAS, Tony Reyna has distinguished himself as a leader in the preservation of Hopi language and culture, as an attor-

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ney and judge in the Hopi Tribal Appellate Court, and as a professor of Anthropology at the University of Arizona.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 1, 2010 as

* SPIRIT OF THE HEARD DAY *

honoring Tony Reyna, the 2010 award recipient, for his contributions as a community leader and role model.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this eighteenth day of August in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State

* ARIZONA HOME HEALTH CARE MONTH *

[M10-350]

WHEREAS, delivering quality home health care and useful comparison information to consumers is a high priority at the federal level and in Arizona; and

WHEREAS, home health quality measures are available at both the national and state levels to help consumers choose a home health agency; and

WHEREAS, Arizona home health agencies continually engage in quality improvement efforts and offer cost-efficient skilled nursing care and therapy services to patients in their own homes; and

WHEREAS, Arizona home health providers, health care organizations, state agencies, consumer advocates, community-based organizations, and the ARizona quality improvement organization have formed a strong, collaborative partnership in support of improving quality of care; and

WHEREAS, each November, National Home Care Month is celebrated to honor caregivers who make a remarkable difference in the lives of the patients and families they serve.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim the month of November 2010 as

* ARIZONA HOME HEALTH CARE MONTH *

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janice K. Brewer GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this thirty-first day of August in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST: Ken Bennett Secretary of State